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Yoshiaki TANAKA et al.

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**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

This is a response to the Office Action dated September 11, 2007. Please amend the above-identified application as follows.

Amend claims 40-41.